



CROWELL & MORING, LLP
Intellectual Property Group
P.O. Box 14300
Washington, D.C. 20044-4300
(202) 624-2500

January 13, 2004

Customer No.

23911

Mail Stop: Patent Application

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
Our Ref: 056207.53157US

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Shiho IZUMI, Hiroshi KURODA and Satoru KURAGAKI

Entitled: **SECURITY SYSTEM**

Enclosed are:

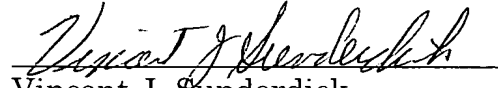
1. Specification, including 18 claims (27 pages).
2. 9 Sheets of Formal Drawings Showing Figs. 1-12.
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney (**Executed**).
4. Application Data Sheet
5. Assignment of the invention to Hitachi, Ltd., Tokyo, Japan
6. Certified copy of Priority Document 2003-011741 filed in Japan on January 21, 2003, the priority of which is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55.
7. Information Disclosure Statement w/ 2 references.
8. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee					\$385/770	= \$770.00
Total Claims	<u>18</u>	-	20	=	<u>0</u>	x \$9/18 = \$
Independent Claims	<u>3</u>	-	3	=	<u>0</u>	x \$43/86 = \$
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented					\$140/280	= \$
Total Filing Fee						<u>\$770.00</u>



Two checks in the amount of \$770.00 for the filing fee and \$40.00 for the assignment recording fee are enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #056207.53157US). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Vincent J. Sunderdick", is written over a horizontal line.

Vincent J. Sunderdick

Reg. No. 29,004

VJS:adb
Document#298912